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SOME PUGILISTIC RECORDS.

Dates, Pinces and Number of Rounds of Heavyweight Battles. In answer to an inquiry as to the

of Henyweight Battles.

In answer to an inquiry as to the Sullivan-Kilrain prize fight:

John L. Sullivan knocked out John Joseph ("Jake") Kilrain in the seventy of Virginia held this afternoon the schedule is with William spartice before the holidays, and will reaume training on Monday, tanuary 6th.

The first game on the schedule is with William and Mary College, to be played in Williamsburg on Saturdiay, January 11th. This promises to be a hard contest, as the Williamsburg squad claimed the all-Southern championship in basketball last year.

A very stiff schedule has been arranged including games with George-town, George Washington, Washington



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ALPHAS LEADING

The Six Teams at Y. M. C. A. Engage in Their Weekly Games.

The Greek Letter Baskethall League games at the Y. M. C. A. last night were hotly contested, and ewen the

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NEW ORLEANS, LA, Lecembor 15—
The feature event at the Fair Grounds was the fourth race at one mile, Miss Mazzoni, at 11 to 5, coupled in the betting with St. Harlo, was the winter the betting with St. Harlo was the winter with the winter was the winter was the winter winter with winter winter with winter winter with winter winter with winter winter winter with winter winter winter with winter wi

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HOWITZERS PLAY WELL.

Professionals Heve Difficulty Defeating Them in Game.

In the indoor baseball game at the skating rink last night the Richmond Professionals defeated the Richmond Howitzers' team in a heart-disease game by a score of 15 to 15. The contest was interesting and aroused enthusiasm, but the attendance was disappointing to the promoters of the sport. The game promises to attain great popularity as soon as it is better understood and appreciated. The teams playing give a really clever exposition of the sport and deserve better patronage.

AMUSEMENTS

The Limit.

Those whose luckless lot it was to be in the audience at the Academy last right heaved a deep sigh of relief whome in the curtain fell on the last act, for the only attractive features of 'Sis in New York' were the fact that the performance was unusvaily short, and that the cast was happily small. The production was of that peculiar kind whiled ing laughably rank, and somehow it managed to drag its weary length through for acts, and at the final curtain fall still have some of the audience left in the playroure. "Sis" was a nightmare, and "the farmer," the "hired man," the "store-beeper," the "miser, the "wayward son," the "hell boy," the "dive keep-draw ere the grotesque phanthoms which disturbed the peaceful sleep of the wearled audience.

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Perbids Grain Speculation.
WASHINGTON, December 19.—Dealing in grain futures is prohibited in a bill introduced by Representative Scott, of Kansas, the new chairman of the Committee on Agriculture. It follows the general lines of the Burleson bill, restricting trade in cotton on margin, and its object is to prevent transactions which do not involve the actual transacr of grain.



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Golden Oak or Mahogany-finished frames, red or green velour cush-ions; worth \$7.50. Special price,



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Vernis Martin, Mahogany, Bird's-Eye Maple, Golden Oak, Early English and Imitation Mahogany; up from \$3.98.

Vernis Martin Music Cabinets, Parlor Tables and Smokers. Combination Book-Cases Writing Desks, \$14.25 to \$60. Mirrors, Pictures, Clocks, Shaving Stands, Ornaments, etc.

December 20th in the Annals of Sport.

1875—At London, Eng.—John Roberts, Jr., defeated William Cook, English billiards, championship; 1,000 to 865 points.

1879—At New York—Captain A. H. Bogardus broke 5,500 glass balls, two traps, 15 yards, in 7 hours 19 minutes.

1834—At Chicago—W. H. Catton defeated Edward McLaughlin in straight rail billiard contest for \$1,000,

1001—At San Francisco—George Gardner knocked out "Kid" Carter in eighth

round. 1904—At San Francisco—"Jimmy" Britt defeated Battling Nelson in twenty rounds. 1905—At San Francisco—"Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien defeated "Bob" Fitz-simmons in thirteen rounds.

NEWS GATHERED FROM LOUTH SIDE

Miss Snyder Becomes Bride of Mr. Finke-Mrs. Durham in Leader Hall.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch

No. 1102 Hull Street.

A pretty wedding was ceieorated in West End Methodist Episcopai Church last night when aliss Anna Belle Snyder becare the bride of Mr. Channing Bolton Finke.

Miss Snyder is from Braddock, Pa., and has been living here for some time. Mr. Finke is from Richmond.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. M. Rowland, the pastor of the church, and a large crowd was present. Mrs. Snyder is prominent in Sunday-school work of West End M. E. Church. They will make their home in Richmond.

Delights Her Audlence.

if the company presenting this "comcdy-drama" depend upon the bx.-office
receipts from last night's performance
to pay their railroad fare away from
town, they will remain permanent in
habitants of Richmond.

Coming To-Night.

Kadura's Imperial Japanese Troupe
which caused so much talk at the
Jamestown Exposition, will be at the
Academy to-night. The company consists of thirty-two acrobats jugglers
and contortionists, including the faamous Ki Kushul babies.

"The Power That Governs."

Creston Clarke, one of the most popular of the younger set of American
actors, will appear in "The Power that
Governs," at the Academy to-morrow
matinee and night. The locale of the
story is the Slerra Madre Mountains of
the three acts is that which shows the
suite of rooms occupied by Andrew
Oliver Carmichael, the multi-million
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Academy for one performance on Tuesday.

One needs to go not so very far
back in order to revive pleasant memories of the times when Herbert Kelcey and Fifle Shannon were the bright
and shining lights of Daniel Frohman's
old Leveum Stock Company.

Soon after their retirement from the
Lyceum Mr. Kelcey and Miss Shannon
formed a copartne only recently served eighteen months for chicken stealing.

Popular Young Lady Dead.

Miss Mattie Perry Owens, youngest daughter of Commissioner of Revenue Samuel E. Owens, died yesterday morning at 4 o'clock at the residence of her parents, No. 1209 Porter Street, after an illness of several months.

Miss Owens is survived by her mother and father and one brother, William Hugh Owens, and two sisters—Mrs. Alma Baldwin and Miss Bettie Owens—all of this city.

One of the features surrounding her death which adds g'eatly to the sorrow in the home is the fact that Mrs. Owens has been at the point of death for some time past and still is critically ill.

The Juneral will take place from Central Methodist Episcopal Church this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The pall-bearers will be Active—W. H. Sampson, E. T. Eanes, T. A. Davidson, Jr., J. C. Green, H. C. Beattle, Jr., O. S. Owens. Honorary—Walter E. Duval, Byron Lynton, Graves Owens, Page Ramos, W. O. Moore and G. K. Peple.

No Enster Trip for Yale.

No Easter Trip for Yale. Miss Athelia Hall, who has been vis-ting George Hall, her brother, has re-turned to her home in Wilmington,

turned to her home in Wilmington N. C.

Mr. Edward Hyde, of Forest Hill, salied yesterday on the steamship Oceanic for Stalybridge, England, his old home.

Boys, preparing for their Christmas bondre, entered the yard of Moore Bros., at Fourteenth and Hull Streets, Wednosday night and got away with twenty empty barrels. The owners are aware of who did the work and have notified the police.

W. Leslie Gibbs, formerly of Manchester, now of Huntington, W. Va., will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Gibbs, of 1219 Bainbridge Street, for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fraker returned wednesday might in their home, 211 Bast Eleventh Street. Mr. Fraker returned Wednesday morning from a visit to friends in the county.

PRETTY HENDERSON WEDDING.

Miss Rebecca Butler Married to Dr. Tucker at Henderson.

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[Special to The Thices Dispatch.]

HENDERISON, N. C., December 19.—

But few marriages in this community have elicited a greater degree of interest than the one celebrated yesterday at light noon in the church of the Holy Innocents, when Miss Rebecca, the charming and attractive daughter of E. G. Butler, Esq., was led to the altar by Dr. John IIII Tucker, a graduate of the University of Virginia, a popular and prosperous young physical states.

cian and were united in marriage by the rector, Rev. Julian E. Ingle.
Miss Annie Butler, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, Miss Catharine Miller was the ring bearer. Mr. Fred Hill Tucker, brother of the groom, was the best man. The ushers were Messre, J. I. Miller, E. G. Landis, S. S. Parham, H. E. Chavasse, Frank Harris, J. A. Moore, Thomas G. Homer and S. P. Cooper, Henderson: W. Brooks Parham, Oxford; Bassett Ingle, New York City. The bride wore a gown of rich white satin, long tulle veil, caught with orange blossoms, and carrying a bouquet of Bride's roses. After the ceremony the bridal party were driven to the station, boarding the northbound train for New York and other cities.

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Lots of Good Things for the Xmas Holidays.

Fresh French Candy, 6c lb. Wine of Jelly, 15c per quart. New Figs, 3 pounds for 25c. New Malaga Grapes, 10c lb. Fresh Chocolate Caramels, per ib 10c

Fruit Cakes, 1-lb. package 1215c
Jelly Roll or Pound Cakes, 1-lb. Best Quality Dates 124,0
Christmas Mixed Candy, 3 lbs. for 25c
French Candy per pound 6c
Best Quality Dates, per pound 6c
Seeded Rainsins, in 1-lb, pkg. 124,0

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At No. 1418 1-2 West Cary Street, at 10:30 A, M. Monday, December 23, 1907.

Carved Claw-Foot Sofa, Carved-Leg Dressing Table, Fluted-Column Sideboard, 18-foot Mahogany Dining Table, French Roll Bed, Bureaus, Washstands, Rocker and Clock, in mahogany, Mahogany Piano, Old Blue Platters and Plates, Brass Fenders, Old Pictures, Household, Furniture, Carpets, Stoves etc. Terms cash.

Auction Sales, This Day.

Virginia Salvage and Wrecking Co. A. R. Mayo. Proprietor, 711 East Main Street.

GROCERIES, COUNTERS, SHOW CASES, STORE FIXTURES, SPICES, TEAS. COFFEES, ETC., AT AUCTION.

We will sell at 1233 North Seventeenth Street, at 10:30 A. M.,

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1907,

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1907, a lot of shelf and bulk Groceries, full and part caddies of Tea, Coffee, Spices, Smoking Tobacco, full caddies of Chewing Tobacco, Snuff, Lamp Chimneys, two Counters, two Show Cases, Counter Scales, Meat Block and Tools, Meat Grinder, Bar Counter, Beer Pump, Refrigerator, Stove, Camera, Graphophone, Vinegar, Oil Tank and Measures, etc., etc. TEMMS: Cash.

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Real Estate for Rent.

Security Life Insurance
Company of America,
Chicago, Ill., Deember 7, 1907.
TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE Security Life Insurance Company of America: Y u are hereby notified that the regular annul meeting of the stockholders of the Security Life Insurance Company of America: Y u are hereby notified that the regular annul meeting of the stockholders of the Security Life Insurance Company of America will be held at the Jefferson Hotel in the city of Richmond, Va. on WEDNESDAY, THE STH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1908, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing directors of the company for the ensuing year and the transaction of any and all other business which may be submitted to the meeting.

By Order of the Baard of Directors CARL T. PRIME, Assistant Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockh iders of the ROSNEY IRON and LUMBER COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the office of the Company at Rosney, Buckingham county, Virginia, on the THRTEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1998, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing two directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before said merting.

CHARLES T. REIFSNIDER, JR., Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE steekholders of the National Bank of Virginia, Richmond, Va., will be held in their banking-house, corner Fleventh and Moin Streets, on TUES-DAY JANUARY 14, 1908 at 12 o'clock M. W. M. ADDISON, Cashier.

Union Bank of Richmond Va.,
Richmond, Va., December 19, 1967,
THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEFTING
of the stockholders of the lank will
he held at their benking-house on
THUREDY JANUARY 9, 1968, at
12 o'clock noon,
GEO. W. CALL Cashler.

Richmond, Va., December 14, 1907.
THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of this bank will be held in its banking-house on THESDAY, JANUARY 14, 1908, at 12 o'clock M. WILLIAM M. HILL. Cashier.

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Dividend Rotices.

Virginia-Carolina G.emical Company,
Richmond Va., December 10, 1907.
CONSECUTIVE DIVIDEND NO. 40.
THE BOARD OF DIRECTOR. HAVE
this day declared a dividend of two
(2) per cent, the same being consecutive quarterly dividend No. 49,
on the outstanding preferred stock
of this outstanding preferred stock
of the outstanding preferred stock will
be mailed to all preferred stock holders of record at the close of Duriness on December 31, 1907.
The blocks for the transfer of preferred stock will be closed from 3
p. M. Thursday, January 1, 1908. until 10 A. M. Thursday, January 16,
w 1908. S. W. TRAVERS.
Treasurer. Office of Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company,

Virginia Fire and Marine
Insurance Company,
Richmond, Va., Dec. 19, 1997.

DIVIDEND—THE DIRECTORS OF
this company have declared a dividend of 5 per cent. (\$1.25 per share
and free of tax), payable January
1st next, to stockholders of record
December 19, 1997.

Transfer books closed to January
3, 1998. Dividend will be malled to
stockholders. Changes of address
should be notified the company.

WM. H. McCARTHY,

WM. H. McCARTHY, Seretary. Bank of Commerce and Trusts.
Richmond, Va., Dec. 19, 1807,
THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
this bank have this day declared
the regular quarterly dividend of 1
per cent, out of net earnings for
the quarter, payable January 1, 1998,
A. R. HOLLADAY,
Vice-President.

Bankrupt Rotices.

ORDER OF NOTICE FOR DISCHARGE IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA: In the Matter of WILLIAM E. BAWSEL No. 689.

Bankrupt, Bankruptey.

Storeand Dwelling

No. 2206,

BETWEEN TWENTY-SECOND AND TWENTY-THIRD STREETS, NEAR HOUSE.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust, dated September 5, 1907, and duly recorded (D. B. 194 C. page 316), default having been made in the payment therein secured, and being so required to do by the noteholder. I will sell at public auction, on the premises, at solock P. M., on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1907, the real estate described in said deconsisting of a brick store, with dwelling above; lot 18 feet 3½ inches by 96 feet 3 inches, to a 9-foot alley, with all the rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging.

TERMS: Cash as to the costs and expenses of this sale, taxes and a note of \$130, due December 5, 1907, and interest; the following amounts quarterly from December 5, 1907, and interest; the following amounts quarterly from December 5, 1907, and interest; the following amounts quarterly from December 5, 1907, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in terest; the following amounts quarterly from December 5, 1907, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal docurt, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal court, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal court, at the clerk shall known creditors copies of seal petition and this order, addressed the seal petition and this order, and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal petition and the seal thereof, at Richmond, in the principle of the seal of the seal court, at Richmond, in the said court, an

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EAS-

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Meetings.

Security Life neurance

Witness the Honorable Edmund

In the matter of William A. Shelton, Bankrupt, Bankrupt, To the Creditors of WILLIAM A. SHELTON, of Richmond, Va., in the county of Henrico, and District aforesald—Bankrupt;

aforesaid—Bankrupy;

Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of December A. D., 1907, the said WILLIAM A. SHELTON was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of its creditors will be held in my office, Rooms Nox, 802 and 803, American National Bank Building, Richmond, Va., on the 30TH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

TYOMAS B SNEAD, Referred in Bankruptcy, December 18, 1907.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, FOR THE EAST-ERN DISTRICT O FVIRGINIA.

ERN DISTRICT O FVIRGINIA.

In the matter of
Louis W. Schroeder,
Bankrupt.

To the Creditors of LOUIS W. SCHROEDER, of Richmond, in the county
of Henrico, and District aforesaid—
Bankrupt:
Notice is hereby given that on 16th
day of December, A. D. 1997, the said
LOUIS W. SCHROEDER was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first
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in my office Rooms Nos. 802 and 803
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THOS. B. SNEAD,
Referre in Bankruptcy,
December 18, 1997.

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